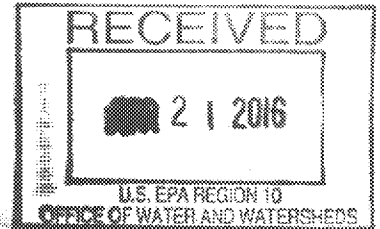




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SUBJECT: Applications for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)
Permits for Bonneville, John Day, and The Dalles Projects

Mr. Michael Lidgard
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
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OWW-191

Dear Mr. Lidgard:

The Portland District submitted applications for NPDES permits for the following projects in 2015:

Bonneville, No. WA0026778
John Day, No. WA0026832
The Dalles, No. WA0026701

Pursuant to the requirement of the Settlement Agreement in Columbia Riverkeeper v. USACE, No. 2:13-md-2494-LRS (E.D. Wash.), we are writing to request the current status of these permit applications and any information regarding the timeline for their evaluation.

If you have questions, you may contact me at tony.r.kirk@usace.army.mil or (503) 808-3894.

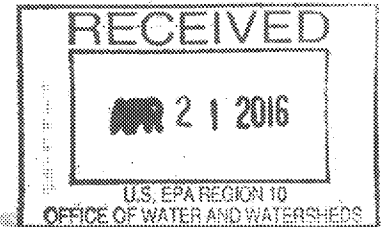
Sincerely,


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SUBJECT: Applications for National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permits for Little Goose Lock and Dam, Lower Granite Lock and Dam, Lower Monumental Lock and Dam, Ice Harbor Lock and Dam, and McNary Lock and Dam

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Dear Mr. Lidgard:

The Walla Walla District submitted applications for NPDES permits for the following projects on, or around April 20, 2015:

Little Goose Lock and Dam, No: WA0026786
Lower Granite Lock and Dam, No: WA0026794
Lower Monumental Lock and Dam, No: WA0026808
Ice Harbor Lock and Dam, No: WA0026816
McNary Lock and Dam, No: WA0026824

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